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## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION ( IN ACCORDANCE WITH 37

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above identified application:

1.	Submission	Required	under	37	C.F.R.	5	1.114
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a.	-	Previously submitted					
		Consider the amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on:					
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Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested

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b. \_\_\_ Other:

3. F s Attached please find:

**X** RCE Fee of \$740.00 (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)

Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)

Other:

Claims	Less Entitlement		Additional Fees				
Presented			Small Entity		Large Entity		
Total	32	Minus	34	x \$9=	0.00	x \$18=	0.00
Indep.	6	Minus	6	x \$42=	0.00	x \$84=	0.00
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And Claims Depo	-0-		x\$140=	0.00	x\$280=	0.00	
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- X Check in the amount of \$740.00 enclosed
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-2816. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

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